State of Alaska FY2005 Governor's Operating Budget

Department of Administration Risk Management RDU/Component Budget Summary

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RDU/Component: Risk Management

(There is only one component in this RDU. To reduce duplicate information, we did not print a separate RDU section.)

Contribution to Department's Mission

Mitigate state's risk of financial loss (cost of risk) from accidental loss and injury.

Core Services

Claims processing, litigation management, contract review, insurance administration and consulting.

FY2005 Resources Allocated to Achieve Results					
FY2005 Component Budget: \$24,505,500	Personnel: Full time	6			
	Part time	0			
	Total	6			

Key Component Challenges

Risk Management (RM), exclusively funded by interagency receipts, attempts to pay all claim settlements and defense costs as they become due and payable, drawing from the Catastrophic Reserve Account (CRA) whenever there is insufficient appropriation to meet ongoing claim obligations.

Financing of the state's comprehensive self-insurance program continues to be dependent on the CRA to meet the actual cost of risk each year. This account is annually refilled by a year-end "sweep" of unexpended general funds from other state operating budgets. Over the last five fiscal years, RM has averaged total cost of risk expenditures greater than \$8.2 million beyond authorized appropriations. In FY2003 \$16.9 million was expended beyond RM's appropriation - using third party recoveries, insurance receipts, the full CRA and additional direct legislative appropriation of over \$7.5 million.

As was the case last year, continued increased premiums were experienced at FY2004 coverage renewals.

Significant Changes in Results to be Delivered in FY2005

- Participate in new return to work program (Work First) mitigating long term workers compensation disability benefits
- Issue new RFP for broker selection enabling longer response period and increased competition

Major Component Accomplishments in 2003

- Support successful jury trial defense verdict on major class action for wild land urban interface fire claims
- Reach final resolution of insurance coverage dispute and all legal claims on 10 year old aircraft loss
- Continue to manage owner provided insurance program for Ted Stevens Anchorage International Airport expansion project - present and collect initial recovery - major windstorm loss
- Underwrite workplace violence, marine employee fire response, workplace safety and emergency medical training programs and limited security patrol services
- Advise agency safety committees focusing on workers' compensation loss trends to develop prevention strategies
- Address high risk agency supervisors explaining tort liability, review operating practices to mitigate future loss exposures

Statutory and Regulatory Authority

AS 23.30.045 Employer's liability for compensation
AS 23.30.090 Self-insurance certificates
AS 37.05.287 Insurance for State assets
AS 37.05.289 State insurance catastrophe reserve account
AS 09.50.250 Actionable claims against the State
AS 44.21.040 Records or accounts of claims and warrants
AS 09.50.270 Payment of judgment against the State

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Risk Management Component Financial Summary All dollars shown in thousands						
	FY2003 Actuals	FY2004 Authorized	FY2005 Governor			
Non-Formula Program:						
Component Expenditures:						
71000 Personal Services	472.9	479.5	501.1			
72000 Travel	8.7	17.4	17.4			
73000 Contractual	23,746.0	23,973.5	23,973.5			
74000 Supplies	4.8	10.0	10.0			
75000 Equipment	117.8	3.5	3.5			
76000 Land/Buildings	0.0	0.0	0.0			
77000 Grants, Claims	0.0	0.0	0.0			
78000 Miscellaneous	0.0	0.0	0.0			
Expenditure Totals	24,350.2	24,483.9	24,505.5			
Funding Sources:						
1007 Inter-Agency Receipts	24,350.2	24,483.9	24,505.5			
Funding Totals	24,350.2	24,483.9	24,505.5			

Estimated Revenue Collections						
Description	Master Revenue Account	FY2003 Actuals	FY2004 Authorized	FY2005 Governor		
Unrestricted Revenues Unrestricted Fund	68515	506.0	506.0	506.0		
Unrestricted Total		506.0	506.0	506.0		
Restricted Revenues Interagency Receipts	51015	24,350.2	24,483.9	24,505.5		
Restricted Total Total Estimated Revenues		24,350.2 24,856.2	24,483.9 24,989.9	24,505.5 25,011.5		

Summary of Component Budget Changes From FY2004 Authorized to FY2005 Governor All dollars shown in thousands							
	General Funds	Federal Funds	Other Funds	Total Funds			
FY2004 Authorized	0.0	0.0	24,483.9	24,483.9			
Adjustments which will continue current level of service: -Changes to Retirement and Other Personal Services Rates	0.0	0.0	21.6	21.6			
FY2005 Governor	0.0	0.0	24.505.5	24.505.5			

Risk Management Personal Services Information						
	Authorized Positions		Personal Services C	osts		
	FY2004	FY2005				
	<u>Authorized</u>	Governor	Annual Salaries	371,700		
Full-time	6	6	Premium Pay	0		
Part-time	0	0	Annual Benefits	145,752		
Nonpermanent	0	0	Less 3.16% Vacancy Factor	(16,352)		
·			Lump Sum Premium Pay	Ó		
Totals	6	6	Total Personal Services	501,100		

Position Classification Summary						
Job Class Title	Anchorage	Fairbanks	Juneau	Others	Total	
Accountant III	0	0	1	0	1	
Accounting Clerk II	0	0	1	0	1	
Claims Administrator	0	0	2	0	2	
Division Director	0	0	1	0	1	
Risk Manager	0	0	1	0	1	
Totals	0	0	6	0	6	